WHEREAS, The vast majority of youth are concerned, knowledgeable and responsible citizens; and,

WHEREAS, The accomplishments and achievements of these young citizens deserve recognition and praise of their elders; and,

WHEREAS, Optimist International has for the past nineteen years promoted and conducted a program entitled Youth Appreciation Week, which this year is to be observed November 12-18; and,

WHEREAS, The citizens of South Dakota have indicated a desire to join with the Optimists in expressing appreciation and approval of the contributions of youth:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim November 12-18, 1973 as

YOUTH APPRECIATION WEEK

in South Dakota, and by this action let it be known that we have faith in the ability of today's youth as they assume responsible roles in the future of mankind.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I
have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the Great Seal
of the State of South Dakota,
in Pierre, the Capital City,
this 12th day of November,
in the Year of Our Lord,
Nineteen Hundred and
Seventy-Three.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Lorna B. Herseth

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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